

AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

Please substitute the following paragraph(s) for the abstract now appearing in the currently filed specification:

~~Disclosed is a~~A gasket and drum type washing machine using the same. The present invention ~~washing machine~~ includes a cabinet having a first opening through which a laundry is put in at ~~at the~~the cabinet front side wherein a door is installed to open/close the first opening, a tub installed in the cabinet to have a second opening at ~~a tub front side~~ corresponding to the first opening, a drum installed in the tub to have a third opening at ~~a drum front side~~ corresponding to the second opening, a rotation mans having a rotational shaft penetrating a rear side of the tub to be connected to the drum, and a gasket for preventing leakage of water. And, ~~the~~The gasket includes a leakage preventing part having one end connected to a rim of the first opening and the other end connected to a rim of the second opening to prevent water leakage ~~wherein a portion between the one and the other ends of the leakage preventing part is bent to prevent shocks by vibrations of the tub and drum from appearing on the cabinet, a deformation preventing part connected to the leakage preventing part to reinforce a strength of the leakage preventing part and to prevent deformation of the leakage preventing part, and a laundry-stuck preventing part provided on an inner circumference of the leakage preventing part to prevent the laundry from being stuck between the second and third openings.~~